**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

Public Services – MA&UD Department - Vijayawada Municipal Corporation – Allegation of deviations in construction of building in plot no.9-76-128 in Vijayawada Municipal Corporation limits - Departmental action initiated against Sri V.Sudhakar, the then TPS & TPBO-II and Sri M.Venkata Subbaiah, the then Assistant City Planner-I, Vijayawada Municipal Corporation - Enquiry conducted – Charges not proved - Further action dropped - Orders – Issued.

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MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

**G.O.RT.No. 366** **Dated: 16-05-2019**

**Read the following:-**

1) From the G.A. (V&E) department, Vigilance Report No.42 (317/V&E/D1/2014), dated.20.12.2014.
2) From the DTCP., A.P., Hyderabad, Lr.Roc.No.2564/2015/V.Cell, dated.29.05.2015 & 01.03.2018.
3) G.O.Rt.Nos.261 to 263, MA&UD (Vig.II.1) Department, dated.19.03.2018.
4) WSD of Sri M.Venkata Subbaiah, JDTP, O/o the DTCP, Guntur, dated.05.07.2018.
5) WSD of Sri V.Sudhakar, DTCPO, Krishna District, dated.30.07.2018.
6) G.O.Rt.No.774 & 775, MA&UD (Vig.II.1) Dept., dated.06.08.2018.
7) Enquiry Report from Sri A.Lakshmana Rao, City Planner & Inquiry Officer, VMC., Vijayawada, Lr.Roc.No.G2-141780/2018, dt.19.09.2018 received through the DTCP, Guntur, Lr.Roc.No.2564/2015/V.Cell, dt.04.10.2018
8) Govt.Memo.No.627/Vig.II/2015, MA&UD (Vig.II) Dept., dt.14.02.2018.
9) Written representations of two charged officers Sri M.Venkata Subbaiah & Sri V.Sudhakar, dt.28.02.2019 & 08.03.2019.

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**O R D E R:**

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, the G.A. (V&E) Department officials have enquired into the allegations of deviations in construction of building in plot no.9-76-128 and failure to issue notices to the building owner during construction and allowed to encroach the road widening area in Vijayawada Municipal Corporation limits and recommended to initiate disciplinary action against Sri V.Sudhakar, the then TPS & TPBO-II and Sri M.Venkata Subbaiah, the then Assistant City Planner-I, Vijayawada Municipal Corporation.

2. Accordingly, Government after following due procedure, charges have been obtained from the DTCP in the reference 2nd read above, and based on these charges, disciplinary action has been initiated by framing articles of charges against Sri V.Sudhakar, the then TPS & TPBO-II and Sri M.Venkata Subbaiah, the then A.C.P., Vijayawada Municipal Corporation vide reference 3rd read above with a direction to submit their Written Statement of Defence. In the reference 4th & 5th read above, the charged officers have submitted their written statement of defence and requested to drop further action against them.

3. As the explanations submitted by the charged officers are not convincing, Government have appointed Sri A.Lakshmana Rao, City Planner, Vijayawada

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Municipal Corporation as an Enquiry Officer to enquire into the charges framed against above said two (2) charged officers vide reference 5th read above. In the reference 6th read above, the Inquiry Officer has furnished his enquiry report and stated that, all the charges framed against the above said officials are not held proved in the enquiry.

4. Government have examined the Enquiry Report in detail and in the reference 7th read above, while communicating a copy of Enquiry Report to both the charged officers under Rule 21(2) of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991, they were directed to submit their written representations if any, on the findings of the Enquiry Officer.

5. In the references 8th read above, Sri M.Venkata Subbaiah, the then A.C.P. and Sri V.Sudhakar, the then TPS & TPBO-II, Vijayawada Municipal Corporation have submitted their written explanations and requested to exonerate from the charges and to drop further action against them.

6. Government after careful examination of the matter and keeping in view of the findings of Enquiry Officer, it has been decided to drop further action against Sri V.Sudhakar, the then TPS & TPBO-II and Sri M.Venkata Subbaiah, the then ACP of Vijayawada Municipal Corporation, as all the charges framed against them are not held proved in the enquiry.

7. Accordingly, Government hereby order to drop further action against Sri V.Sudhakar, the then TPS & TPBO-II and Sri M.Venkata Subbaiah, the then ACP of Vijayawada Municipal Corporation, as all the charges framed against them are not held proved in the enquiry.

8. The Director, Town & Country Planning, A.P. Guntur shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

9. The receipt of the G.O., shall be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**R.KARIKAL VALAVEN**
**SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To
Sri M.Venkata Subbaiah, the then ACP-I, VMC, now working as JDTP, O/o DTCP, Guntur **- through** the DTCP., A.P., Guntur
Sri V.Sudhakar, the then TPS & TPBO-II, VMC, now working as DTCPO, Krishna District **- through** the DTCP, A.P., Guntur
The Director of Town & Country Planning, A.P., Guntur.

**Copy to:**

The General Administration (V&E) Department, A.P., Vijayawada.
The Secretary to A.P. Vigilance Commission, 5th Block, A.P. Secretariat.
The Commissioner, Vijayawada Municipal Corporation.
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**// FORWARDED BY ORDER //**

**SECTION OFFICER.**